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THE STARTING MACHINE.

Over in England, as in this country, much ink and argument is being wasted over the so-called starting problem and the use of the starting machine or gate, of which Lord Durham is an advocate. The discussion has induced an Australian authority to write a letter to the Manchester Chronicle giving some views of the matter that are well worth the consideration of the flag wielders and racing officials of this country. His remarks on the use or misuse of the starting machine in this country are correct and very much to the point. In the course of his letter he says:

"I have never seen the machine used in America and therefore cannot say how it is managed, or mismanaged, there; but I have had a wide experience of it in Australia. In the colonies no racing club, having once used it, will ever discard it. In my position as turf editor of the Sydney Referee, I was naturally called upon to criticize the machine when first tried. Being an Englishman, and accustomed to seeing horses started by Tom McGeorge, Custance and others, I naturally leaned toward the man with the flag. It was some time before the machine overcame my prejudices, but I gave way readily when I saw what an estimable boon to racing it was. There is no comparison between the starting machine and the man with the flag; the machine simply 'wins hands down.' I object to the term 'starting gate.' It gives a false impression. No sane man would ever think of putting a 'starting gate' or any other gate in front of a field of horses. It is a machine pure and simple, and when properly used is bound to be a success. It is amusing to me to read your correspondent's remark about the 'recall system,' and I am glad he votes for the 'no recall.' If there are to be false starts with the machine, then the man with the flag might as well be retained. There is no such thing as a false start with the machine in Australia. It was invented to do away with false starts, prevent delay at the post, give every jockey a fair chance of getting off, and saving owners their money and horses, and it has done all these things, and more. It has wonderfully improved the tempers of horses and men, and has made the starter's position a pleasant one. It is quite evident to me they have no idea how to use the machine on many American tracks.

"What has been accomplished in Australia can be done in England and in America. I have seen every big race in Victoria and New South Wales started with the machine, and never saw a failure with it, nor horses break through it. No properly constructed machine could possibly injure either jockey or horse, no matter how quickly they got off. I have seen fields of from 25 to 33 starters get away from the machine in an unbroken line both at Flemington and Randwick, and with only a minute or two of being at the post. Your correspondent states the jockeys will not submit to rigorous handling, nor do the authorities attempt to make them submit. There is the kernel of the whole business, so far as the failure at New York is concerned. The jockeys are not under proper control. Fancy jockeys ruling the roost; a nice state of affairs we should have in racing. Jockeys must be made to submit if they will not do so willingly, but I am sure the practical common sense of the English jockeys would guide them aright, and if the machine were adopted they would make the best and most of it. Australian jockeys have to submit to orders, and so ought jockeys in America. This jockey fetish is becoming a nuisance. After all they are only men, not 'little gods.' I am glad such undoubted authority and man of sterling weight of Lord

Durham has taken up the starting machine, and many racing men in high places are, I feel certain, willing to follow the lead he has given. I have seen hundreds of races started by the machine, and cannot recall to mind one failure."

THE 1902 ST. LOUIS DERBY.

Wednesday of next week, February 1, entries of mares for the St. Louis Derby of 1902 close. It is almost inconceivable that any one who owns a thoroughbred mare due to foal this year would fail to enter her for this great race of the future, when it is considered that entrance is absolutely free. Entry of the mare renders her produce at once eligible to a great stake that may be worth as much as \$25,000 to the winner. If the colt or filly proves inferior it can be declared out by January 1, 1900 for the small sum of \$5; or by January 1, 1901 for \$10. On the other hand it is from the moment of its birth engaged in a stake of such importance as to at once operate to give it a value it would not otherwise possess, and if it shows promise as time goes on will be a possession eagerly contended for by men with long purses who are anxious to own horses vested with the possible chance of winning such a great race.

GOSSIP OF THE TURF.

The Cotton Steeplechase Stakes at Memphis only secured fifteen entries but they are worth comment. Most of the horses entered have never gone over the jumps in public and when one finds in the list such well known performers on the flat as Sutton, Hampden, Zufallig, Peter II, and Amateur it appears probable that the jumping division in the middle west is to be reinforced with much new material this year. Of horses now in California Monita, Captain Reese, Viking and Octuruck have done well over the timber at San Francisco this winter; all will be new to patrons of racing on this side of the Mississippi. In fact the list of entries is almost completely made up of horses new to the game. The stake and entries are as follows:

The Cotton Steeplechase Stakes.—A steeple chase handicap sweepstakes for 4-year-olds and upward, \$50 each, half forfeit, or \$10 if declared, \$750 added, of which \$200 to second and \$10 to third, the fourth to save stake. Weights to be announced and declarations to be made two days before the race. Four or more horses of entirely different interests to start, or the race may be declared off. About two miles.

A. G. Blakely's Monita, b. g, 8, by St. Saviour—Night Hawk; Peter II., b. h, 7, by Brutus—Bonnie Jean.

P. M. Civill's Savarin, b. g, 5, by Hindoo—Ricochet.

J. Desha's Bellamy, b. g, 4, by Eberlee—Fonsica; Discipline, ch. h, 5, by Order—Fonsica.

L. H. Ezell's Octuruck, ch. g, 4, by Rio Bravo—Johanna; Captain Reese, ch. g, 7, by Rossington—Ada Reese.

D. J. Leary's Sutton, ch. h, 5, by Red Iron—Lily Wright.

J. B. Lewman's Amateur, b. c, 4, by Laureate—Behersal.

Mrs. A. M. Linnell's Viking, ch. g, 5, by Herald—Eileena; Tom Smith, blk. g, 5, by Clarendon—Sparrowgrass.

A. M. Orpen's Florida Rose, ch. f, 4, by Farandole—Jennie S.

W. F. Schulte's Zufallig, ch. g, 6, by Argyle—Per-adventure.

C. Van Studdiford's, Mystery, b. c, 4, by Favor—Mysterious.

W. M. Wallace's Hampden, b. c, 4, by Hanover—Altivola.

The Coney Island Jockey Club has gone into real estate purchasing on an extensive scale.

It has within a few days completed its purchase of additional real estate at Sheephead Bay. On Thursday it paid the Fitzgerald-McNulty Syndicate \$300,000 for 150 acres of land. The Coney Island Club has a surplus of half a million. Property at Sheephead Bay is appreciating at the rate of 10 per cent a year, so that from any point of view the investment is a good one. The land will be worth \$4,000 an acre in six or seven years. The club, as is known, intends to beautify this property, and with the woodland and meadows it now possesses on its beautiful course, turn all the property into a magnificent park, which will be free on all days except when racing is under way. The club is not unselfish in giving the public a park free of cost. This act probably saves the racecourse for many years to come, probably for a decade. The movement to cut streets through the race track and connect Sheephead village with Ocean avenue was very strong. The residents have to make a long detour now. With a public park there, however, there will be strong opposition to the opening of avenues now laid out on the city maps. At the next meeting of the directors it will be proposed to lengthen the Futurity course to seven furlongs and make it a straight course so as to do away with the turn called the elbow, that has proved fatal to the prospects of so many Futurity candidates.

Of the two-year-old filly Ella Boland, that won at Ingleside last Saturday, the San Francisco Examiner says: "Ella Boland is the first galloper to start in Marcus Daly's colors since Senator Bland won the Farewell Handicap at Bay District track in the spring of 1895. The filly was also the first to carry the colors of the Copper King (copper, green cap) over the Ingleside course. Ella Boland is by Sam Lucas, the young sire of Sam McKeever and Ballista. It begins to look as if Lucas would make a sensational sire of racers. Trainer Billy Randall advised all his friends to bet on Ella Boland, and they got as good as 10 to 1 for their money." The filly is handled, however, by the veteran trainer Dan Dennison, who recently reached San Francisco in charge of a stable of horses belonging to Montana owners.

George C. Bennett has purchased the betting privileges at Memphis for the coming spring meeting, outbidding John Condon, C. A. Tilles & Co., E. L. Applegate and Marcus Cartwright. The betting ring will be free to all bookmakers, as in the past. It is said that it cost Bennett in the neighborhood of \$40,000 to secure the privileges. Last year Capt. C. A. Tilles of St. Louis was in control.

Efforts are being made to reinstate jockey "Patsey" McDermott, who was ruled off at Brighton in 1894. The jockey has now been on the ground five years. He was reported worth \$100,000 when ruled off, and is said to be penniless now.

AMERICAN RACING RULES OF 1899.

The 1899 edition of the American Racing Rules, published by Secretary E. C. Hopper of the American Turf Congress, is out and can be sent by mail to any address from this office for 25 cents. The book contains the racing rules as amended to January 1, racing Colors as registered and betting rules, and a digest in index form which is a guide to all the book's contents.

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BAD FOR PLUNGERS.

Bernard J. ("Kid") Weller leaves for Hot Springs, Ark., in a day or two, and his excellent string of horses is likely to be sent eastward, too. Mr. Weller came here with the reputation of being a plunger among plungers, a solver of all the curves of the racing game in the southwest and middle west, a winner of over \$100,000 during the racing season of 1898, a successful deliver in "dope," a man that not only won "on the inside," or when he made book, but "on the outside," when he didn't hang up his slate.

But he couldn't make a hit at either Oakland or Ingleside, and "struck out," as it were, with great regularity. Now his hopes of getting even have gone glimmering, and he has concluded to strike out for a country where the picking is easier, where the curves do not make a form student cross-eyed.

Mr. Weller's losses are placed at all the way from \$10,000 to \$25,000, but as the little Bismarck of the betting arena does not tell his business to every man he meets, it might be safe to put him \$10,000 "to the bad" in less than ten weeks' time.

The fate of Weller is the fate of every plunger that ever battled in the waves of speculation on the Californian shore.

Ed Purser heads the list of losers. He was heard to say one day last season that \$150,000 would scarcely make good his losses since he first came to San Francisco about five years ago. Every season regularly he has come to the coast with a well-filled purse, has Purser, and when the 15th of May rolled around said purse always looked as if Jumbo had jumped on it. Then he would tie himself to his home in the far east and again run a shoestring into the proverbial tannery, but the establishment would be badly plastered with mortgages after he got through his winter-spring struggle with the Golden Gate bookies.

"Pittsburg Phil" Smith made three or four pilgrimages to San Francisco, and every time they had the cool plunger with the ministerial look oozing gore in his attempt to "get even." Twice they had \$30,000 of his good money. The last time he was here he got it all back but \$10,000, and declared that he had enough for good and all.

Dave Gideon is considered a very shrewd man in the country's metropolis, but his coast trip last year cost him about \$12,000, and he did not come out this year. To his friends around New York he remarks: "The game around 'Frisco is too hard for me."

Riley Grannan, George Wheelock, Jack Newman, Eddie Gaines and many other close followers of the flyers with a penchant for rolling 'em high, have touching tales of woe to tell of their coin that never came back in California, and the first-named has invariably left from \$10,000 to \$100,000 every season he has visited us, though he gamely keeps a-going.—San Francisco Examiner.

NOTES OF THE TURF.

Capt. W. H. May has engaged jockey Charles Aker for the year 1899. Captain May has a strong stable this year, being especially strong in promising two-year-olds.

While exercising a 2-year-old on the track at New Orleans Wednesday, jockey Chas. Kuhn had his right ankle crushed by the colt falling with him.

Col. M. Lewis Clark has been appointed presiding judge at Memphis. No starter has as yet been selected.

D. M., St. Louis, Mo.—Have not been able to ascertain the present location of the persons inquired about.

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THE AMERICAN SPORTING MANUAL.

The American Sporting Manual of 1898 is on general sale. It is a record of the turf, billiards, pugilism, trotting, pacing and all the leading lines of sport up to January 1, 1899. All the matter within its pages have been compiled and edited by experts. It prints a list of all the turf and track records (by DAILY RACING FORM's staff), billiard figures, past and present (by John Thatcher), the fights of 1898, with comments (by George Siler), harness records to date and of the past (by John Hervey, the statistician of The Horse Review) and three handicap tables, with directions for their application and expert comment. The Manual, in paper covers, sells at 30 cents and in soft morocco covers at 50 cents.

YEARLY RACING FORM.

Those who want the yearly edition of DAILY RACING FORM's charts had better order early. There are not more than thirty of the edition unsold. Yearly Racing Form is in two volumes, bound in soft morocco with a hard-needle lettered index on linen paper. Volume I. includes the racing from January 1 to June 30. Volume II. from July 1 to December 31. The two books cost \$20.

OAKLAND FORM.

SAN FRANCISCO, CAL., January 26.—The form of Friday's Oakland fields is:
First Race—Strongoli, The Fretter, Odd Eyes
Second Race—The Wooser, Sir Urian, Napian.
Third Race—Master Lee, Frank Janbert, George H. Ketcham.
Fourth Race—Obsidian, Lavator, Senora Caesar.
Fifth Race—Satsuma, Dunois, Bernardillo.
Sixth Race—Free Lady, Whitcomb, Don't Skip Me.

OAKLAND ENTRIES.

Probabilities: Weather clear; track fast.

First Race—Futurity Course.
(170 feet short of 3-4 mile.)
3-year-olds. Selling.

Ind. Horses	Age	Wt.	Hdep.
44183 Odd Eyes	3	107	680
10423 Ocorona	3	107	650
10423 San Augustine	3	112	640
10423 Anne Page	3	112	680
10404 Master Buck	3	114	670
(10399) Strongoli	3	117	700
10423 Campus	3	117	675
10354 Anchored	3	117	685
(10423) The Fretter	3	117	690
(10336) Whaleback	3	117	660

Second Race—3-4 Mile.

3-year-olds. Selling.

Ind. Horses, color, sex & pedigree.	Wt.	Hdep.
Solstice, ch. f. by Brutus—Constellation	109	690
10423 Sir Urian	111	675
10423 Napian	111	670
(10409) Jennie Reid	117	670
10355 Genua	117	675
(10291) Malay	119	680
(10247) The Wooser	119	695
(9971) Faversham II	122	675
10328 Jerry Hunt	122	700

Third Race—1 Mile.

3-year-olds and upward. Selling.

Ind. Horses.	Age.	Wgt.	Hdep.
10405 Master Lee	3	101	700
10357 Judge Wofford	3	101	665
10423 Diara	3	104	650
10425 Frank Janbert	6	114	690
10231 Jim Bozeman	6	114	660
10400 George H. Ketcham	5	114	685
10404 Nonchalance	5	117	680
10386 Midian	4	117	675
10184 Veloz	5	121	670

Fourth Race—1 Mile.

3-year-olds. Allowances.

10409 Senora Caesar	112	675
10399 Lavator	112	695
10282 Obsidian	112	700

Fifth Race—1 1-16 Miles.

4-year-olds and upward. Selling.

10195 Bernardillo	5	105	730
(10405) Mistletoe	4	105	710
5655 Ko Ko	9	105	675
10402 Satsuma	7	111	750
10331 Topmast	6	111	690
10376 Mistral II	5	111	725
(10400) Dunois	5	114	725
(10358) Dr. Sheppard	5	114	730

Sixth Race—7-8 Mile.

4-year-olds and upward. Selling.

10302 Carrie U	6	100	630
10351 Robert Bonner	5	102	670
(10404) Formella	4	102	665
10402 Whitcomb	5	102	695
(10403) Free Lady	4	102	700
10401 Midlight	5	104	685
(10427) Don't Skip Me	5	105	690
5713 Olive	7	105	640
10401 Highland Ball	4	106	675
10427 Ed Gartland II	4	106	660
10160 Howard	8	107	650
10153 Peixotto	6	107	680

NEW ORLEANS FORM.

NEW ORLEANS, LA., January 26.—The form of Friday's New Orleans fields is:
First Race—Ned Wickes, Klondyke, Hanlon.
Second Race—Dr. Graves, Sidtilla, Caslin.
Third Race—Tranby, Henry Launt, Locust Blossom.
Fourth Race—Basquill, Double Dummy, Muskadine.
Fifth Race—Percita, Borden, Loyaletta.
Sixth Race—Donation, Royal Dance, Sadie Levy.

NEW ORLEANS ENTRIES.

Probabilities: Weather cloudy; track fast.

First Race—6 1-2 Furlongs.

3-year-olds and upward. Selling.

Ind. Horses	Age	Wt.	Hdep.
10363 Willie Howard	3	110	675
10383 Klondyke	3	110	685
10433 Lizzie E	3	110	660
10366 Becky Ban	3	110	650
10433 Tobe	3	112	675
10411 Coanza	3	113	650
10204 Nilmah	3	115	665
10393 Tophet	3	115	650
10417 Blenheim	3	118	660
10417 Ned Wickes	3	120	700
9292 Overboard	3	120	625
10103 Bob Lyons	5	130	635
10171 Hanlon	6	130	680
8685 Bill Powell	6	135	645
10416 Fetiche	5	136	640

Second Race—3-4 Mile.

3-year-olds. Allowances.

10411 Sidtilla	3	94	690
10288 Lygia	3	94	655
10369 Klerma	3	96	685
10417 Caslin	3	99	685
9352 Payatin	3	102	625
10380 Dr. Graves	3	102	700
10265 Clara Meader	3	102	630
10393 Leila Smith	3	102	640
8087 Asoka	3	102	625
8736 Alpina	3	102	645
10415 Colonel Eades	3	104	660
10417 Liddsdale	3	104	650
10034 The Purser	3	104	635
10144 Rebus	3	107	630
10177 Sheikh	3	107	680

Third Race—1 1-16 Miles.

4-year-olds and upward. Selling.

10432 Locust Blossom	4	102	735
(10421) Ada Russell	4	102	735
9878 Dr. Withrow	4	104	700
10316 Bequeath	4	104	725
10415 Wilson	4	107	730
10394 Oxnard	4	107	720
10394 Tranby	6	109	750
(10319) Jack Martin	6	109	710
9867 Banquo II	5	112	730
10430 Henry Launt	5	112	745

Fourth Race—1 1-8 Miles.

3-year-olds and upward. Handicap.

10347 Dr. Vaughan	3	90	720
10395 Judge Steadman	7	92	720
10429 Vlandies	3	92	710
10413 Double Dummy	5	95	745
10418 Basquill	5	98	750
(10394) Barataria	4	99	725
10395 Jackanapes	4	103	725
10395 Muskadine	4	104	740
(10415) Clay Poynter	4	108	715
10420 Sailor King	4	116	740

Fifth Race—7-8 Mile.

4-year-olds and upward. Selling.

10263 Governor Boyd	4	93	715
10121 Afr	4	94	695
10380 Percita	6	94	750
10380 General Maceo	4	96	700
10430 Simon D	4	96	710
10396 Tenby	4	96	700
10421 Brighton	5	96	720
10396 Borden	4	96	735
10414 Miss Frances	6	97	690
10384 Loyaletta	5	97	730
104213 Everest	5	99	710
10397 Albert S	6	99	715
10301 Prince of India	5	99	675
9678 Earl Fonso	4	104	670
10367 Gold Top	5	107	685

Sixth Race—1 1-16 Miles.

4-year-olds and upward. Selling.

10397 Sadie Levy	4	95	685
10414 Annie Tenton	5	100	680
10421 Dousterswivel	4	100	670
10421 Royal Dance	5	102	690
(10384) Julia Hazel	4	102	680
10392 Donation	6	102	700
10382 Gomez	5	105	675
10397 Inflamator	5	105	670
10397 Vanessa	5	107	625
8511 Evanatus	9	109	650

CARNEGIE RACES.

PITTSBURG, PA., Jan. 26.—The results at the Carnegie track for today were as follows:

First Race—Four and three-quarter furlongs; allowances.

Horses	Wt.	Jockeys	Odds
Parthian	115	Flynn	24 to 1
Helena Belle	113	Huston	4 to 5
Gallilee	112	Fennemore	12 to 1
Tim Hurst	115	Manlove	3 to 1
Larissa	113	M Norris	12 to 1
Charmee	113	Coudrier	12 to 1
Walter O	122	Thomas	12 to 1

Time, 1:17.
Winner—B. g. 8, by Ben Ali—Parthenia.

Scratched—The General, 115; False Pride, 115; Fox Chase, 107.

Second Race—Four and three-quarter furlongs; allowances.

Lucette	113	Neel	8 to 1
Mooyer	115	Lynch	8 to 1
Unich	115	Hyle	3 to 1
Back Back	115	J Murphy	2 to 1
Estelle	118	Baker	2 to 1

Time, 1:16.
Winner—Blk. m. 5, by Tristan—Favora.

Scratched—Oracle, 118; Volzette, 113.

Third Race—Four and three-quarter furlongs; allowance s.

Stach-iberg	118	Neel	6 to 5
Blue Ribbon	120	Nelson	8 to 1
Frank Hough	112	Manlove	8 to 1
Candelabra	118	Nostrand	2 to 1
David S	115	M Norris	6 to 1
Teller	113	Fennemore	7 to 1
Gallatin	112	Phillips	12 to 1

Time, 1:17.
Winner—B. h. 5, by Woodlands—Hope.

Scratched—War Song, 112; Fluelen, 112; Countess, 112.

Fourth Race—Four and three-quarter furlongs; allowances.

Medica	113	Neel	7 to 10
Harry C	115	Talbot	10 to 1
Imposition	113	Campbell	10 to 1
Great Bear	115	A Dorsey	4 to 1
Sampson	115	Fennemore	10 to 1
J. B	115	Hyle	5 to 1
Fred Munch	115	Phillips	12 to 1

Time, 1:18.
Winner—B. m. 6, by Inspector B—Tincture.

Scratched—Billy Duff, 115; Gold Dollar, 115.

Fifth Race—Three-quarters of a mile; allowances.

*Reform	118	Coudrier	7 to 10
James Monroe	113	Campbell	10 to 1
M. P. Y	113	Bender	10 to 1
G. R. Longhurst	118	Nelson	3 to 1
J. M. H	118	A Dorsey	8 to 5
Bernadine	118	Talbot	10 to 1

Time, 1:39.
Winner—Ch. g. 6, by Masetto—Hanap.

Scratched—Wexford, 113; Motive, 104; Earn, 118.

*Disqualified for carrying a battery.

Friday's Carnegie Entries are:

First Race—Four and three-quarter furlongs.

Highwayman, Borderer, Flush, John Morrell, 115 each; Larissa, Fable, Susie Hawa, Minco Maid, Little Silver, 113 each; Motive, 104.

Second Race—Four and three-quarter furlongs.

Whippany, J. Simmons (formerly Dr. Coop), 118 each; Humorist, George M., Dutch Bluster, 115 each; Cuba, Estelle, Little Denny, 113 each; Galileo, 107.

Third Race—Four and three-quarter furlongs.

Candelabra, 122; Traitor, 118; War Song, Teller, Melvia Kemp, 115 each; Fadora, Sister Ida, Bessie Browning, Countess, 113 each.

Fourth Race—Four and three-quarter furlongs.

Gold Dollar, Vent. Fluelen, 115 each; Helena Belle, Imposition, Oarr, 113 each; William M., 112; Lady Maxwell, 107.

Fifth Race—Three-quarters of a mile.

J. B., Sandowne, J. M. H., Crown, 110 each; Judge Warren, James Munroe, Ed Murphy, 107 each; Elga, Sparkle, Calaysia, 105 each.

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NEW ORLEANS FORM CHART.

NEW ORLEANS, LA., January 26.—Fifty-fifth day. Crescent City Jockey Club. Winter Meeting. Weather clear; track fast.

Presiding Judge, R. W. Simmons. Starter, C. J. Fitzgerald. Racing starts at 2:00 p. m.

10428 FIRST RACE—7-8 Mile. Purse \$250. \$35 to second; \$15 to third. Entrance \$10. 4-year-olds and upward. Allowances. 15 lbs. below the scale. Non-winners of a stake, or of four or more races at meeting, allowed 5 lbs.; of three races, 7 lbs.; of two races, 10 lbs. (selling races not counted). Beaten non-winners at meeting allowed 15 lbs.

Ind	Horses	A	Wt	St	1/4	1/2	3/4	1	StrFin	Jockeys	Owners	O	H	L	C
10383	B. OF MEMPHIS	4	100	4	11	11	13	11	11	T Burns	T J McHale	2	2	2	2
10420	DEBRIDE	5	97	5	41	24	24	24	24	Mason	K J Murphy	7	8	6	7
10383	LADY CALLAHAN	5	94	3	2	3	4	4	3	Frost	M S Hughes	6	10	6	6
10395	WHAT NEXT	5	104	6	52	51	51	53	4	Powers	C H Williams	4	5	4	5
10432	TAKANASSEE	5	95	2	31	41	31	32	5	O'Connor	F E Gardner	3	4	3	3
10344	EIGHT BELLS	4	89	1	63	68	66	61		Troxler	F H Hickok	5	8	5	7
10410	ELKIN	5	92	7	7	7	7	7		Bisping	J H Smith	50	60	50	50

Time, 24, 49, 1:14, 1:26.

Winner—B. f. by Siddartha—Silver Bang. Off at first break to a good start. Won handily; second cleverly. Belle of Memphis tiptoed her field and had something left at the finish. Takanassee tired in the run home. Debride ran gamely, but could never get up. He has had a lot of it lately. What Next finished fast. So did Lady Callahan. Eight Bells ran below the mark. The time marked a new track record. Scratched—Canova, 89; John Baker, 92; Laureate, 97; J. H. C., 97. Overweights—Belle of Memphis, 31 pounds; Lady Callahan, 21; What Next, 21. Belle of Memphis, place, 4 to 5; show, 2 to 5. Debride, place, 2 to 1; show, evens. Lady Callahan, show, evens. What Next, show, evens. Takanassee, show, 1 to 2.

10429 SECOND RACE—6 1-2 Furlongs. Purse \$250. \$35 to second; \$15 to third. Entrance \$10. 3-year-olds. Allowances. 15 lbs. below the scale. Winners of two handicaps, or of four or more races at meeting to carry 12 lbs. extra; of a handicap, or three races at meeting to carry 8 lbs. extra; of two races at meeting, 5 lbs. extra. Beaten non-winners at meeting allowed 5 lbs.

Ind	Horses	A	Wt	St	1/4	1/2	3/4	1	StrFin	Jockeys	Owners	O	H	L	C
10410	SIR FLORIAN	112	5	6	31	24	14			Maher	F Reagan	3-2	13-53	2	2
10410	JIM MCCLEVEY	102	6	2	11	11	2			Troxler	Settle & Co	3	3	2	3
10293	PAT GARRETT	104	2	3	5	5	3			Bisping	J H Smith	20	30	20	20
10366	OUR NELLIE	102	4	4	4	4	4			T Burns	T J McHale	4	5	4	5
10393	REE MITCHELL	97	1	1	2	31	53			O'Connor	F E Gardner	3	4	3	4
10411	VOLANDIES	112	3	5	6	6	6			Frost	H J Scoggin	15	20	15	20

Time, 23, 48, 1:14, 1:21.

Winner—Ch. g. by St. Florian—Prosperity. Off at first break to a good start. Won easily; second, third and fourth driving. Sir Florian picked up his field at his leisure and won under a pull. Pat Garrett would have been second in another stride. Re Mitchell tired badly the last quarter. Our Nellie was running great guns at the finish. Volandies was overweighted and showed no speed at all. The winner is in fine form. Scratched—Uhlerr, 99. Sir Florian, place, evens; show, 1 to 2. Jim McClevey, place, 4 to 5; show, 2 to 5. Re Mitchell, show, 1 to 2. Our Nellie, show, 3 to 5. Pat Garrett, show, 3 to 1.

10430 THIRD RACE—1 1-8 Miles. Purse \$250. \$50 to second; \$25 to third. 4-year-olds and upward. Selling. Horses entered to be sold for \$1,600 to carry weight for age. 1 lb. allowed for each \$200 to \$800; then 2 lbs. for each \$100 to \$300. Winners of two or more races at a mile or over at meeting to carry 5 lbs. extra for each race won. Beaten non-winners at meeting allowed 5 pounds; if beaten four or more times 10 lbs.

Ind	Horses	A	Wt	St	1/4	1/2	3/4	1	StrFin	Jockeys	Owners	O	H	L	C
10392	TRAGEDY	6	111	3	14	11	12	11		Troxler	W A Johnson	7	8	6	8
10385	SISTER STELLA	5	105	9	64	54	61	45	2	Aker	H T Griffin	8	15	8	10
10392	HENRY LAUNT	5	112	8	7	64	54	3	3	Peterman	E Fitzgerald	10	15	10	15
10395	SUTTON	5	114	2	3	41	21	21	4	T Burns	D J Leary	5	6	4	5
10396	SIMON D.	4	98	1	23	3	4	64	51	Holden	James Arthur & Co	15	30	8	20
10414	BRN RONALD	5	113	6	44	2	3	7	61	Lynch	J J McCafferty	5	8	4	8
10410	FRISKAL	5	105	10	10	9	10	8	7	Frost	R E Maddox	10	20	10	15
10317	BLUEWAY	4	106	5	8	8	9	9	8	Moody	J P Robinson	2	2	8-5	8-5
10316	VICTORINE	4	106	7	9	10	7	5	9	Powers	M H Healy	30	40	30	30
10398	DALGRETTI	8	107	4	5	7	8	10	10	Combs	A G Weston	10	15	8	10

Time, 25, 50, 1:16, 1:42, 1:55.

Winner—Ch. m. by Winfred or Galore—Rachel. Off at first break to a good start. Won driving; second and third driving also. Tragedy had all her speed, but was hustled along the last eighth. Simon D. was carried off his feet the first three-quarters. Ben Ronald was short. Watch him. Blueway bore out on the turns. Sutton was right there. Scratched—Inflammator, 100; Gomez, 102. Overweights—Simon D., 3 pounds. Tragedy, place, 2 to 1; show, evens. Sister Stella, place, 4 to 1; show, 2 to 1. Henry Launt, show, 3 to 1. Ben Ronald, show, evens. Blueway, show, 2 to 5.

10431 FOURTH RACE—1 Mile. Purse \$250. \$50 to second; \$25 to third. 3-year-olds and upward. Selling. Horses entered to be sold for \$1,200 to carry weight for age. 1 lb. allowed for each \$100 to \$800; then 2 lbs. for each \$100 to \$300. Beaten non-winners at meeting allowed 5 lbs. Winners of two or more races at meeting to carry 7 lbs. extra.

Ind	Horses	A	Wt	St	1/4	1/2	3/4	1	StrFin	Jockeys	Owners	O	H	L	C
10373	DEYO	4	102	7	8	72	6	41	1	Mason	T F Buckley	6-5	2	6-5	8-5
10208	CELTIC BARD	6	107	3	4	3	54	64	21	Combs	Rowe & Clarkson	3	4	3	4
10368	KITTIE REGENT	3	85	2	2	61	74	75	31	Troxler	H H Stover	8	9	8	8
10417	NAN DORA	3	87	6	3	4	31	41	1	W Jones	P T Weir	12	15	12	12
10373	HER OWN	5	100	8	7	51	3	21	5	O'Connor	W C Daly	4	5	4	5
10364	LIEW ANNA	5	100	8	7	51	3	21	5	Frost	B Martin	5	6	5	5
10396	KALITAN	5	104	1	11	21	1	3	7	Aker	G H Brown	50	50	50	50
10385	LITTLE SALLIE	4	100	5	6	8	8	8		Moody	J McNaught	50	80	50	80

Time, 26, 51, 1:16, 1:42.

Winner—Br. f. by Hayden Edwards—Carmenita. Post 4 minutes. Start good. It was a driving finish. Deyo skinned the rail on the stretch turn. On the other hand Celtic Bard was carried wide. The latter was closing fast at the finish, and perhaps should have won. Kalitan, Liew Anna and Her Own quit after running three-quarters. Kittie Regent closed strong. Scratched—Oxnard, 105; Little Billy, 107; Official, 112; Jackanapes, 113. Overweights—Nan Dora, 5 pounds; Kalitan, 2. Deyo, place, 3 to 5. Celtic Bard, place, 3 to 2; show, 3 to 5. Kittie Regent, show, evens. Her Own, show, 4 to 5.

10432 FIFTH RACE—3-4 Mile. Purse \$250. \$50 to second; \$25 to third. 4-year-olds and upward. Selling. Horses entered to be sold for \$1,100 to carry weight for age. 2 lbs. allowed for each \$100 to \$300. Beaten non-winners at meeting allowed 5 lbs.; if beaten three or more times, 8 lbs.

Ind	Horses	A	Wt	St	1/4	1/2	3/4	1	StrFin	Jockeys	Owners	O	H	L	C
10362	JIM GORE II.	4	104	1	11	12	14	14		T Burns	F T Wood	1	1	8-5	4-5
10420	EGGART	8	106	5	8	61	41	2		O'Connor	W J Donohue & Co	4	3	3	3
10392	MISS ROSS	6	101	7	7	2	21	34		Troxler	W R Griffin	6	8	6	6
10349	LOCUST BLOOM	4	98	3	6	4	74	4		Dupeee	W K Cleveland	8	10	8	8
10414	MINNIE WELDON	6	93	8	2	31	3	5		Frost	A Conrads	15	20	15	20
10414	VALLIE	4	90	9	5	5	5	6		Odom	Settle & Co	20	25	20	20
10207	GILRAY	4	103	10	10	10	10	7		Guiteris	S J Charles	60	75	50	60
10367	DAZZLE	4	94	4	4	8	5	8		Moody	J C Tucker	50	80	50	80
10213	DR WORK	6	95	6	9	9	9	9		Perreto	L D Frazee	60	80	50	80
10325	SUGAR FOOT	5	95	2	3	7	8	10		Dugan	E Fitzgerald	50	80	50	80

Time, 24, 48, 1:14.

Winner—B. g. by Gorman—Dolly. Off at first break to a good start. Won easily; next two driving. Jim Gore II. had all his speed and won as he pleased. Eggart got the place in the last stride. Miss Ross hung in the final drive. Minnie Weldon quit in the last furlong. She is a faint-hearted filly. Locust Bloom finished with a rush. Scratched—Percita, 93; Water Crest, 103; Diggs, 105. Overweights—Gilray, 2 pounds; Dazzle, 2. Eggart, place, 6 to 5; show, 1 to 2. Miss Ross, show, 6 to 5.

10433 SIXTH RACE—7-8 Mile. Purse \$250 \$50 to second; \$25 to third. 3-year-olds. Selling. 12 lbs. below the scale. Each to be entered to be sold for \$400. Beaten non-winners at meeting allowed 5 lbs.

Ind	Horses	A	Wt	St	1/4	1/2	3/4	1	StrFin	Jockeys	Owners	O	H	L	C
10417	THE DRAGON	105	3	1	1	1	1	1		Sheppard	W A McConnell	3	3	3	3
10410	FINTAN	107	6	51	4	53	4	25		O'Connor	W H Snarley	5	7	5	6
10412	NAILER	105	1	6	6	2	2	3		T Burns	J W Schorr & Son	2	8-5	8	5
10369	TOBE	102	9	9	9	4	4	3		Mason	T P Hayes	10	10	8	8
10369	BRIGHT NIGHT	110	5	3	2	31	55	56		Frost	J W Kennedy & Co	5	4	5	5
10415	LIZZIE R.	100	2	7	5	8	62	63		Dugan	E Fitzgerald	20	50	20	40
10393	MARK HANNA II.	105	7	8	8	9	9	7		Reitz	J M Wilkinson	40	80	40	80
10172	THREE POT	100	4	4	7	7	7	8		Lines	T J McHale	30	30	30	30

Time, 24, 49, 1:14, 1:40.

Winner—Ch. h. by Strathmore—Black Maria. Start bad. Won quite easily. Captive was a real racehorse today and could have taken the lead at any stage. He was never fairly extended. Amelia Fonso beat the gate and showed a fine rate of speed. She is at her best now. Mamie G. ran well but was overweighted. Guilder ran his race. It was too fast for Shasta Water with such weight up. Wing was practically left at the post and had no chance. Dunpraise was out of place in such speedy company. Captive, place, 6 to 5; show, 1 to 2. Amelia Fonso, place, 2 to 1; show, evens. Mamie G., show, 2 to 5.

9956 LEOSTRATUS 102 8 2 31 6 8 9 Holden V D Bond 30 30 20 20 Time, 24, 49, 1:15, 1:29.

Winner—B. c. by Cavalier—Daybreak. Off at first break to a good start. The first two fought it out all the final sixteenth. The Dragon outstayed Fintan. Tobe ran a good race from a bad beginning. He was in a bad pocket on the stretch turn. Nailer is not of much account. Lizzie R. had bad racing luck. Bright Night was much used early and stopped. Leostratus had some early speed. Scratched—Niolo, 100; Chancery, 105. The Dragon, place, 3 to 2; show, 3 to 5. Fintan, place, 2 to 1; show, evens. Bright Night, show, 4 to 5.

OAKLAND FORM CHART.

OAKLAND, Cal., January 26.—Thirty-ninth day. California Jockey Club. Winter Meeting. Weather clear; track fast.

Presiding Judge, Joseph A. Murphy. Starter, J. B. Ferguson. Racing starts at 2:15 p. m.

10434 FIRST RACE—5-8 Mile. Purse \$300. 3-year-olds. Maidens. Selling.

Ind	Horses	A	Wt	St	1/4	1/2	3/4	1	StrFin	Jockeys	Owners	O	H	L	C
10247	RACIVAN	104	1	12	12	13	13			E Jones	B Schreiber	2	3	2	13-5
10357	SIDELONG	114	7	51	34	2	2			C Sloan	J Foley & Co	10	15	10	12
9326	ROMANY	114	2	24	32	32				Thompson	Burns & Waterhouse	2	3	2	2
	NILGAR	117	4	34	45	41	41			Spencer	P E Jones	3	5	3	5
	BID MC	112	5	7	52	52	52			Figgott	H Butts	5	5	4	4
10247	PIERO	117	3	44	61	62	62			Bullman	J N Burk	6	10	6	10
10256	ROYAL TAR	114	8	8	8	7	7			Stewart	C W Chappell	20	60	20	60
	C. K.	114	6	6	7	8	8			E Cochran	Delond & Eyres	30	100	30	75

Time, 24, 48, 1:01.

Winner—Ch. g. by Racine—Evangeline. Start fair. Won easily. Racivan came out in blinkers, acted kindly at the post, beat the gate and won all the way in a romp. Sidelong ran quite a fair race, finishing strongly. Romany will be improved by this race. He is a fairly good colt, but needs racing to fit him. Nilgar showed some speed. The others are inferior, though Bid Mc may be better than she showed today. Scratched—Abano, 104; Odd Eyes, 112; Gold Garter, 114. Racivan, place, evens; show, 1 to 2. Sidelong, place, 5 to 1; show, 2 to 1. Romany, show, 2 to 5.

10435 SECOND RACE—3-4 Mile. Purse \$350. 4-year-olds and upward. Selling.

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Ind	Horses	A	Wt	St	1/4	1/2	3/4	StrFin	Jockeys	Owners	O	H	L	C	
10329	WYOMING	6	109	4	23	12	13	12	H Shields	J G Brown & Co	6	8	6	8	
10165	CAVALLO	5	109	6	44	34	24	21	Snyder	F Bean	4	8	4	7	
10236	FLY	9	119	3	12	21	34	34	Bullman	Lassen Stable	3	5	3	5	
10165	GLEN ANN	4	104	7	7	41	42	44	Powell	J Sullivan	8	12	8	12	
10360	JOE MUSSEL	5	112	8	9	9	8	5	Bassinger	Earnshaw Bros	30	100	30	100	
10403	MEADOW LARK	7	109	10	8	8	61	64	Spencer	W & C Boots	6-5	6-5	9-10	10	
10398	MILKARTH	4	104	9	64	7	9	72	Gray	M Quinn	30	75	30	75	
10403	DON GARA	5	112	11	11	10	10	81	C Sloan	El Molina Stable	15	20	15	20	
10405	COLONIAL DAME	4	104	1	10	11	11	94	Daly	M J Daly	10	20	10	20	
10403	M'LVIN BR'NH'M	10	102	2	54	61	7	10	E Cochran	J Cochran	50	100	50	100	
10361	ESPIRANO	4	106	5	34	5	54	11	WH Martin	J N Bark	15	50	15	50	

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